

Cambridge Sunday (Nov)  
 1891  
 My dear Mr. Garrison

The  
 telegram came this afternoon.  
 My dear Father this Saturday  
 night - I want to see you  
 Charlotte, and the streets for  
 you have been open about the  
 hour to let you stop  
 to hurry home.  
 I hope you will  
 be able to go tomorrow. The  
 funeral is to be on Wednesday  
 and you know that Father &  
 all would rather have you  
 speak at the funeral than any  
 other one.  
 Yours truly  
 John C. May



Called at my Country  
from a few days  
piece. —  
I now expect to  
start Tuesday  
morning at 8 1/2  
travelling by express  
at 7 1/2 P.M.

Cambridge Sunday Even.  
2 July 1871

My dear Mr. Garrison -

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The  
telegram came this afternoon.  
My dear Father died Saturday  
night - I went to see Aunt  
Charlotta, and had started for  
your house when I found the  
hour so late I was obliged  
to hurry home -  
I hope you will  
be able to go to Syracuse - The  
funeral is to be on Wednesday  
and you know that Father &  
we all would rather have you  
speak at his funeral than any  
other one.  
Sincerely Yours  
John E. May

I am very sorry I was away when you